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FOR: LOW MOLECULAR WEIGHT POLYSACCHARIDES HAVING ANTI-

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## **RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 19, 2009, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are respectfully requested.

The **claims** are presented on pages 2-11.

Claims 1 and 17 are amended.

Remarks begin on page 12.

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